

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 58th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 485

Call to Order: By **CHAIRMAN JOHN COBB**, on April 26, 2003 at 10:00 A.M., in Room 335 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. John Cobb, Chairman (R)
Rep. John Brueggeman, Vice-Chairman (R)
Sen. Corey Stapleton (R)
Sen. Emily Stonington (D)
Rep. Edith Clark (R)
Rep. Eve Franklin (D)

Members Excused: None.

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Dave Bohyer, Legislative Branch
Mari Prewett, Committee Secretary

Please Note. These are summary minutes. Testimony and discussion are paraphrased and condensed.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: SB 485, 4/25/2003
Executive Action:

SEN. COBB presented a proposed amendment to the House Amendments for the Committee's consideration, attached as Exhibit 1. **SEN. COBB** referred to the House Amendments and explained the effect his amendments would have on the bill.

EXHIBIT (cch89sb0485a01)

Motion: **SEN. COBB** moved that **AMENDMENT SB048504-als TO SB 485 BE ADOPTED.**

Discussion:

SEN. STAPLETON, SEN. COBB, REP. E. CLARK and REP. FRANKLIN discussed the funding made available by HB 2, Section B. They further talked about the need for funding of the child care assistance program and its affect on single family homes.

REP. FRANKLIN expressed her opposition to the proposed amendment.

Motion/Vote: **SEN. COBB** moved that **AMENDMENT SB948504.als TO SB 485 BE ADOPTED.** Motion carried 5-1 by voice vote with **REP. FRANKLIN** voting no.

Motion/Vote: **SEN. COBB** moved that the **FREE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT BE ADOPTED.** Motion carried 5-1 by voice vote with **REP. FRANKLIN** voting no.

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ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 10:10 A.M.

SEN. JOHN COBB, Chairman

MARI PREWETT, Secretary

JB/MP

EXHIBIT (cch89sb0485aad)